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## HOP STOCKS - UNITED STATES



The inventory of hops held by growers, dealers, and brewers on September 1, 2003, totaled 69.0 million pounds, 6 percent greater than September 1, 2002, and 28 percent above September 1, 2001.

Stocks held by brewers, at 35.0 million pounds, were unchanged from September 1, 2002, but 8 percent below September 1, 2001. Stocks held by growers and dealers on September 1, 2003, were 34.0 million pounds, 13 percent more than the stocks on hand last year, and more than double the hop stocks held two years ago.

## Hops: Stocks Held by Growers, Dealers, and Brewers, United States, 2001-2003

Stocks	March 1			September 1		
	2001	2002	2003	2001	2002	2003
	Thousand Pounds					
Stocks Held by: 1/						
Dealers/Growers	22,500	45,000	41,000	16,000	30,000	34,000
Brewers	44,500	44,000	41,000	38,000	35,000	35,000
<b>Total Stocks</b>	<b>67,000</b>	<b>89,000</b>	<b>82,000</b>	<b>54,000</b>	<b>65,000</b>	<b>69,000</b>

1/ Includes equivalent pounds of dry hops held in form of extract or pellets.

## MILK PRODUCTION

Item	Month/Year	Idaho	Washington	20 State Total 1/
Milk Cows 2/ (1,000 Head)	Aug. 2002	395	248	7,785
	July 2003 *	408	244	7,765
	Aug. 2003	410	244	7,759
Milk Per Cow 3/ (Pounds)	Aug. 2002	1,830	1,965	1,570
	July 2003 *	1,880	1,965	1,590
	Aug. 2003	1,870	1,960	1,563
Milk Production 3/ (Million Pounds)	Aug. 2002	723	487	12,223
	July 2003 *	767	479	12,345
	Aug. 2003	767	478	12,127

1/ Twenty states include: AZ, CA, FL, ID, IL, IN, IA, KY, MI, MN, MO, NM, NY, OH, PA, TX, VT, VA, WA, & WI.

2/ Includes dry cows, excludes heifers not yet fresh.

3/ Excludes milk sucked by calves.

\* Revised.

## POULTRY

Washington's egg production totaled 114 million during August 2003, 1 million less than in August 2002. All layers in Washington during August 2003, averaged 4.8 million, down 7 percent from a year ago. Four and a half percent of the layers were being molted as of the 1<sup>st</sup> of September, while 43.0 percent of all the layers had completed at least one molting in their lifetime. U.S. egg production totaled 7.31 billion during August 2003, down slightly from 2002. Production included 6.24 billion table eggs and 1.07 billion hatching eggs. During August 2003, all layers in the United States totaled 332.0 million layers, down 1 percent from last year. Egg-type chicks hatched in the United States during August 2003 averaged 33.2 million down 7 percent from August 2002. Eggs in incubators totaled 31.8 million on September 1, 2003, down 4 percent from September 1, 2002.

### LAYER & EGG PRODUCTION, AUGUST 2002-2003, SELECTED STATES 1/

State and Year		All Layers 2/	Eggs Per 100 Layers 2/	Egg Production	September 1	
					Being Molted 1/	Molt Complete 1/
		1,000	Number	Millions	Percent	
California	2002	23,269	2,205	513	5.5	28.5
	2003	19,465	2,225	433	7.5	35.0
Indiana	2002	22,468	2,288	514	2.5	32.0
	2003	22,328	2,244	501	4.0	34.0
Iowa	2002	37,657	2,292	863	3.5	31.5
	2003	38,918	2,233	869	7.0	30.0
Ohio	2002	30,861	2,236	690	8.0	19.5
	2003	28,873	2,265	654	4.0	24.5
Oregon	2002	2,713	2,322	63	3.0	29.5
	2003	2,906	2,374	69	7.0	36.5
Pennsylvania	2002	23,717	2,319	550	1.5	16.5
	2003	23,583	2,345	553	4.0	20.0
<b>Washington</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>5,195</b>	<b>2,214</b>	<b>115</b>	<b>12.0</b>	<b>47.0</b>
	<b>2003</b>	<b>4,828</b>	<b>2,361</b>	<b>114</b>	<b>4.5</b>	<b>43.0</b>
30 State Total 3/	2002	314,748	2,190	6,893	4.2	23.3
	2003	309,615	2,203	6,821	3.9	22.5
Other States 4/	2002	21,411	2,162	463	4.0	26.3
	2003	22,388	2,175	487	3.4	27.1
<b>United States</b>	<b>2002</b>	<b>336,159</b>	<b>2,188</b>	<b>7,356</b>	<b>4.2</b>	<b>23.4</b>
	<b>2003</b>	<b>332,003</b>	<b>2,201</b>	<b>7,308</b>	<b>3.8</b>	<b>22.8</b>

1/ 2003 preliminary, 2002 revised.

2/ Includes all layers and eggs produced in both table egg and hatching egg flocks regardless of size.

3/ Thirty states include: AL, AR, CA, CO, CT, FL, GA, HI, IL, IN, IA, ME, MD, MI, MN, MS, MO, NE, NY, NC, OH, OK, OR, PA, SC, SD, TX, VA, WA, & WI.

4/ Estimates for individual states are not available.

## WASHINGTON POTATOES

The final value of Washington's 2002 potato crop was \$512.8 million, 7 percent below the 2001 crop of \$552.2 million. The 2002 market year average price received by growers of \$5.55 per cwt. was 30 cents below the 2001 average price of \$5.85. Processors in Washington and Oregon (excluding Malheur County) used a total of 79.1 million cwt. of 2002 crop potatoes compared with 77.2 million cwt. used in 2001 and 91.1 million cwt. used in 2000. Of the total potatoes processed in the U.S., Washington and other Oregon processors accounted for 38 percent.

### Potatoes: Production, Farm Disposition, Price, and Value, By State and United States, 2002 Crop

State	Fall Prod.	Total Used For Seed	Farm Disposition			Price Per Cwt.	Value Of	
			Where Grown		Sold		Prod.	Sales
			Seed, Feed Home	Shrink and Loss				
			1,000 Cwt.			Dollars	1,000 Dollars	
California	4,264	198	16	400	3,848	8.45	36,031	32,516
Colorado	27,885	1,724	1,460	2,845	23,580	6.25	174,281	147,375
Idaho	133,385	7,920	1,440	8,650	123,295	5.00	666,925	616,475
Maine	16,960	1,386	310	790	15,860	7.05	119,568	111,813
N. Dakota	23,460	2,242	450	2,650	20,360	6.25	146,625	127,250
Oregon	24,936	1,021	266	1,386	23,284	5.65	141,269	131,755
Washington	92,400	3,960	300	6,500	85,600	5.55	512,820	475,080
Wisconsin	31,125	1,848	265	1,775	29,085	6.90	214,763	200,687
U.S. Total 1/	459,802	28,299	5,631	30,955	423,216	6.69	3,066,081	2,831,698

1/ U.S. totals are for all seasons.

## COLD STORAGE

Total fresh apples in storage for the United States on August 31, 2003, totaled 106.5 million pounds, which was an increase of 19 percent from the amount in storage a year ago. Frozen french fries in storage for the three Pacific Coast states and eight Mountain states on August 31, 2003, totaled 593.9 million pounds, and accounted for 71 percent of the Nation's french fries in storage. Total potatoes in storage for the three Pacific Coast states and eight Mountain states on August 31, 2003, totaled 765.9 million pounds, 70 percent of the Nation's total potatoes in storage.

### STOCKS IN COLD STORAGE

Commodity	Aug. 31, 2002	July 31, 2003	Aug. 31, 2003
	1,000 lbs.		
Apples, Fresh			
Regular Storage	7,563	17,857	16,501
Controlled Atmosphere	82,220	392,505	90,025
<b>48 State Total</b>	<b>89,783</b>	<b>410,362</b>	<b>106,526</b>
Potatoes, French Fries			
Mountain	163,090	216,493	193,543
Pacific	432,167	382,278	400,340
<b>48 States</b>	<b>797,929</b>	<b>859,504</b>	<b>840,460</b>
Potatoes, Total			
Mountain	208,603	269,638	242,079
Pacific	546,299	504,703	523,866
<b>48 States</b>	<b>1,040,591</b>	<b>1,130,439</b>	<b>1,090,770</b>

**CATTLE ON FEED: 1,000 HEAD CAPACITY FEEDLOTS, 2003**

ITEM	IDAHO	WASHINGTON	U.S. TOTAL
	<b>1,000 Head</b>		
Cattle on Feed, August 1 1/	240	170	*9,590
Placed on Feed During August	58	46	2,374
Fed Cattle Marketed During August	52	35	2,075
Other Disappearances during August 2/	1	1	60
Cattle on Feed, September 25, 2003 1 1/	245	180	9,829

\* Revised.

1/ Cattle and calves on feed are animals for slaughter market being fed a ration of grain or other concentrates and are expected to produce a carcass that will grade select or better.

2/ Includes death losses, movement from feedlots to pastures, and shipments to other feedlots for further feeding.